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NOTIFICATION

Whereas, sub- section (1) of section 24 of the Legal Metrology Act, 2009 (hereinafter referred to as the "said Act") states that every person having any weight or measure in his possession, custody or control in circumstances indicating that such weight or measure is being, or is intended or is likely to be, used by him in any transaction or for protection, shall, before putting such weight or measure into such use, have such weight or measure verified at such place and during such hours, as the Controller may, by general or special order, specify in this behalf on payment of such fees as may be prescribed;

And whereas, clause (c) of sub-rule (2) of rule 27 of the Legal Metrology (General) Rules, 2011, mandates the periodical re-verification of weight or measure including tank lorry after every 12 (twelve)months;

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 24 of the Legal Metrology Act, 2009, read with clause (c) of sub-rule (2) of rule 27 of the Legal Metrology (General) Rules, 2011, the State Government is hereby pleased to notify the Tank Lorry Calibration Station established at Singtam Food Godown Complex, Gangtok District, with the following terms and conditions, namely: -

(1) All commercial tank lorries operating within the State for transportation of petroleum products and other liquids shall apply for calibration at the aforesaid newly established Tank Lorry Calibration Station.

(2) Upon successful calibration, the tank lorry shall be issued a VerificationCertificate. This certificate shall be carried in the vehicle at all times and shall be produced to any authorized official upon demand.

(3) The Verification Certificate shall be valid for a period of 12(twelve) months.

(4) The Verification Certificate shall be subject to periodical renewal thereafter.

(5) The calibration fee shall be such as prescribed under rule 17 read with Schedule IX of the Sikkim Legal Metrology (Enforcement) Rules, 2011.

(6) Non-compliance of this notification shall attract penalties as per the Legal Metrology Act, 2009 and the rules made thereunder.

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